

EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES & CULTURES (EALC)

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DEGREES/PROGRAMS OFFERED

3-Year BA

4-Year BA

Minor

INTRODUCTION

The East Asian region constitutes one of the most dynamic and intellectual TJ0.008 Tc -0.047EARTS) 015 EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES & CULTURES 26.7

ADMISSION REQUIREMENT Students must consult with the EALC Coordinator prior to declaring a Major or Minor in EALC, and are advised to consult with the Coordinator in planning their curriculum at the beginning of subsequent registration sessions.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENT 90 credit hours

RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT

Degree: Minimum 30 credit hours
Major: Minimum 18 credit hours

GENERAL DEGREE REQUIREMENT

Humanities: 12 credit hours in Humanities
Science: 6 credit hours in Science
Writing: Minimum 3 credit hours of Academic Writing.
Indigenous: 3 credit hours in designated Indigenous requirement courses
Maximum Introductory Courses: Students may use a maximum of 42 credit hours at the 1000 level. Of these, a maximum of 6 credit hours may be below the 1000 level. As a result, students must take a minimum of 48 credit hours at the 2000-level or above in order to not exceed the maximum number of introductory courses.

Distribution: Minimum three (3) credit hours from each of five (5) different subjects.

MAJOR REQUIREMENT

Single Major: Minimum 30 credit hours/Maximum 48 credit hours.
Double Major: 30 credit hours in East Asian Languages & Cultures and the specified number of credit hours in the other department/program.

Combined Major: Minimum 48 credit hours from 2 different majors with not less than 18 credit hours from each major subject.

Prescribed courses:

EALC-1004(3) East Asian Cultural Foundations

Minimum of 6 credit hours in an East Asian language (Chinese, Japanese or Korean).

Minimum of 12 credit hours in East Asian culture courses (up to 6 credit hours may be taken from courses with significant Asian content—see below).

Minimum 3 credit hours at the 3000 level in East Asian Languages & Cultures.

REQUIREMENTS FOR A 4-YEAR BA IN EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES & CULTURES

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Students must have completed at least 30 credit hours previously. 9()-1-0.004 TnI32I.1 a

International Development Studies IDS-2184(3) Asia/Pacific Development Issues (Note:
requires prerequisite)
Politics 3030(3) Comparative Politics in East Asia
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EALC-2302(3) Intermediate Korean II
EALC-3007(6) Introduction to Classical Chinese
EALC-3100(6) Advanced Japanese
EALC-3150(3) Translating Japanese to English

East Asian Cultures courses

(courses that fulfill East Asian cultures requirements; see also Courses in Other Departments that fulfil the East Asian culture requirement and Courses in Other Departments with significant Asian or Cultural Studies content, listed above)

EALC-1004(3) East Asian Cultural Foundations
EALC-2707(3) Chinese Religions
EALC-2708(3) Religion in Japanese Life
EALC-2709(3) Women in Asian Religions & Cultures
EALC-2718(3) Buddhist Traditions in East Asia
EALC-2721(3) Traditional Japanese Culture
EALC-2723(3) Japanese Cinema
EALC-2724(3) Popular Culture in Japan
EALC-2725(3) Food in Japanese Culture
EALC-2731(3) Chinese Culture & Beliefs
EALC-2733(3) Religious Traditions of Korea
EALC-2734(3) The Making of Modern East Asian Culture
EALC-2740(3) The Supernatural